may think proper. All ordinances passed by them shall be entered by said clerk in a book, which shall be kept by him for that purpose, and which shall be open at all times for the inspection of any person interested, and copies of all ordinances shall be put up in the most public places of said town.

1878, ch. 194.

36. All fines and forfeitures under the ordinances of said corporation may be recovered before a justice of the peace by warrant, judgment and commitment to the public jail of said county, in the same manner that commitments are made for fines imposed by the circuit courts of this State on conviction for misdemeanor; but the said commissioners shall have power at any time to remit or release the said fines, penalties, forfeitures and costs, or any part thereof, at their discretion; and any party who shall be fined or subjected to any penalty or forfeiture, may, within five days after the same shall be imposed and judgment recovered, supersede or stay the same for thirty days by giving ample personal security to the justice of the peace; and the said fines, penalties and forfeitures shall thereafter be collected as small debts are now collected before a justice of the peace.

Ibid.

37. Said commissioners shall have full power to make all such by-laws, regulations and ordinances, not inconsistent with the constitution and laws of this State, as they may deem expedient for the comfort, health, convenience and prosperity of said town and its inhabitants; for the prevention and removal of nuisances, preservation of health, the restraint of disorder and disturbance, and suppression of vice and immorality within the limits of said town and may enforce the observance thereof by such penalties, fines and forfeitures as they shall deem proper, not exceeding five dollars for any one offence; and shall have power to lay an equal tax on all the assessable property within said limits, excepting public and private securities and book accounts, to such an amount as may from time to time be deemed necessary, not exceeding twenty cents on the one hundred dollars of assessable property in any one year, which tax shall be collected and paid to the president and commissioners by the collector appointed by them, who shall have the same power to distrain therefor as the